

REMARKS

Claims 15, 18, 19, 21 and 25-33 are pending in the present application.

Claim 33 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 102(e) as being anticipated by Ferree et al., U.S. Patent No. 7,201,776 ("Ferree").

Claims 15, 18, 19, 21 and 25-32 are allowed.

Claim 33 has now been cancelled. Reconsideration of the application in view of the amendment and following remarks is respectfully requested.

Rejection of Claim 33 under 35 U.S.C. § 102(e)

Claim 33 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 102(e) as being anticipated by Ferree et al., U.S. Patent No. 7,201,776 ("Ferree").

The Applicant respectfully submits that claim 33 has now been cancelled. The aforementioned rejection to claim 33 is therefore moot in light of said cancellation.

Claims 15, 18, 19, 21 and 25-32 are allowed

The Applicant thanks the Examiner for the allowance of the remaining claims 15, 18, 19, 21 and 25-32.

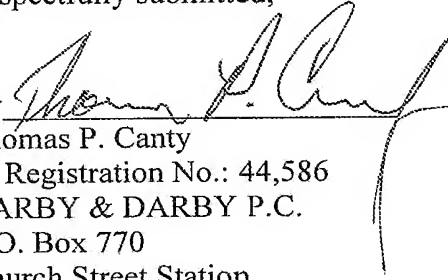
CONCLUSION

The Applicant thanks the Examiner for the allowance of claims 15, 18, 19, 21 and 25-32. In view of the cancellation of claim 33, Applicant believes the pending application is in condition for allowance.

No additional fees are believed to be due with the filing of this response. In the event of a fee discrepancy, please charge any fees due in connection with this filing to Deposit Account No. 04-0100 referencing Docket No. 20802/0205146-US0.

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